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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

In accordance with Applicant's continued duty of disclosure, the documents listed on the form PTO/SB/08a are brought to the Examiner's attention. A copy of the non-US-patent document is enclosed. U.S. 6,164,902 is an English language family member of JP 2000179360 and further explains the relevance.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted before receipt of a first Office Action on the merits.

The undersigned submits the above-identified references for independent consideration by the Examiner and does not make any admission that these references are or are not material to the present invention or that these references are or are not prior art with respect to the present invention.

If any fees are required in connection with this case, it

is respectfully requested that they be charged to Deposit
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Respectfully submitted,

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